

Applicants respectfully request that the Sequence Listing submitted on August 14, 1998 in corresponding U.S. Application Serial No. 09/134,246 filed August 14, 1998 be transferred to this Application, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e), the computer readable copy from Applicant's other Application identified as follows:

For: Method For Construction of Thermus-E. coli Shuttle Vectors
And Identification of Two Thermus Plasmid Replication Origins

The sequence identifiers of Applicants other Application directly corresponds to the sequence identifiers of the instant Application.

Early and favorable consideration leading to prompt issuance of this Application is earnestly solicited.

COPIES OF THE **REPORT** **OF THE** **COMMISSIONER** **OF** **THE** **LAND** **OFFICE** **OF** **THE** **STATE** **OF** **NEW** **YORK** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1890** **ARE** **FOR** **SALE** **AT** **THE** **LAND** **OFFICE** **OF** **THE** **STATE** **OF** **NEW** **YORK** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1891** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1892** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1893** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1894** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1895** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1896** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1897** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1898** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1899** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1900** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1901** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1902** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1903** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1904** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1905** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1906** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1907** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1908** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1909** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1910** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1911** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1912** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1913** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1914** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1915** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1916** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1917** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1918** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1919** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1920** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1921** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1922** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1923** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1924** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1925** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1926** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1927** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1928** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1929** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1930** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1931** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1932** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1933** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1934** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1935** **AND** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1936** **AT** **THE** **PRICE** **OF** **ONE** **DOLLAR** **PER** **COPY** **IN** **ADVANCE** **OF** **THE** **REPORT** **FOR** **THE** **YEAR** **1937** **AND** **FOR**

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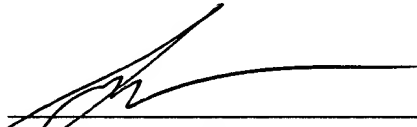
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Should the Examiner wish to discuss any of the amendments and/or remarks made herein, the undersigned attorney would appreciate the opportunity to do so. Thus, the Examiner is hereby authorized to call the undersigned collect at the number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,

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